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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Docket No. 9D-HR-19614 - Daum et al

Sir:

Herewith I hand you specification and drawings, 7 sheets, for an application for Letters Patent upon an improvement in:

**AUTHENTICATION OF REMOTE APPLIANCE MESSAGES USING  
AN EMBEDDED CRYPTOGRAPHIC DEVICE**

the invention of: Wolfgang Daum et al

Basic Fee	\$ 710.00
Additional Fees:	
Multiple dependent claims (\$260)	0
Total number of claims in excess of 20, times \$18	198.00
Number of independent claims minus 3, times \$80	48.00
Total Filing Fee	\$ 956.00
Assignment Fee	<u>40.00</u>
TOTAL	\$ 996.00

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the above-indicated filing fees plus any additional fees which may be required, or credit any over-payment, to Account No. 07-0844.

Respectfully,

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Enclosures

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